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A Captain In the Ranks

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CARY
EGGLESTON

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CHAPTER VI.

CAPTAIN WILL HALLAM was a man of the very shrewdest sense, fairly though not liberally educated, whose life from boyhood onward had been devoted to the task of taking quick advantage of every opportunity that the great river traffic of the fifties had offered to men of enterprise and sound judgment.

Beginning as a barefoot boy about 1850 or earlier—he never mentioned the date—he had "run the river" in all sorts of capacities until when the war came, temporarily paralyzing the river trade, he had a comfortable little sum of money to the good.

Unable to foresee what the course and outcome of the war might be, he determined as a measure of prudence to indulge himself and his little hoard in a period of safe waiting. He converted all his possessions into gold and deposited the whole of it in a Canadian bank, where, while it earned no interest, it was at any rate perfectly safe.

Then he sought and secured a clerkship in the commissary department of the army, living upon the scant salary that the clerkship afforded and meanwhile acquainting himself in minute detail with the food resources of every quarter of the country, the means and methods of transportation and handling and everything else that could in any wise aid him in making himself a master in commerce.

Then one day in 1863, when he had satisfied himself that the fortunes of war were definitely turning and that in the end the Union cause was destined to triumph, he made a change. He resigned his clerkship. He recalled his money from Canada and considerably increased at least its nominal amount by converting the gold into greatly depreciated greenbacks.

With this capital he opened a commission and forwarding house at Cairo, together with a coal yard, a bank, five wharf boats, half a dozen tugs, an insurance office, a flour mill and other things. He sent for his brothers to act as his clerks and presently to become his partners.

From the beginning he made money rapidly, and from the beginning he was eagerly on the lookout for opportunities which in that time of rapid change were abundant. He quickly secured control of nearly all the commission and forwarding business that centered at Cairo. By underbidding the government itself he presently had contracts for all the vast government business of that character.

He was always ready to take up a collateral enterprise that promised results. When the Mississippi river was reopened to commerce by the fall of Vicksburg and Port Hudson, Captain Will Hallam was the first to see and seize the opportunity. He bought everything he could lay his hands on in the way of steamboats and barges and sent them all upon trading voyages—each under charge of a captain, but each directed by his own masterful mind—up and down the Mississippi, and up and down every navigable tributary of those great rivers.

It was Captain Will Hallam's practice to make partners of all men who might render him service. Thus when he saw how great a business there must be at Cairo in supplying Pittsburgh steam coal to the government fleets on the Mississippi and to the

The Story of a Medicine.

Its name—"Golden Medical Discovery" was suggested by one of its most important and valuable ingredients—Golden Seal root.

Nearly forty years ago, Dr. Pierce discovered that he could, by the use of pure triple-refined glycerine, aided by a certain degree of constantly maintained heat and with the aid of apparatus and appliances designed for that purpose, extract from our most valuable native medicinal roots their curative properties much better than by the use of alcohol, so generally employed. So the now world-famed "Golden Medical Discovery," for the cure of weak stomach, indigestion, or dyspepsia, torpid liver, or biliousness and kindred derangements was first made, as ever since has been, without a particle of alcohol in its make-up.

A glance at the full list of its ingredients, printed on every bottle-wrapper, will show that it is made from the most valuable medicinal roots found in our American forests. All these ingredients have received the strongest endorsement from the leading medical experts, teachers and writers on *Medical Medicos* who recommend them as the very best remedies for the diseases for which "Golden Medical Discovery" is advised.

A little book of these endorsements has been compiled by Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., and will be mailed free to any one asking same by postal card, or letter addressed to the Doctor in care of the manufacturer.

From these endorsements copied from standard medical books of all the different schools of practice, it will be found that the ingredients composing the "Golden Medical Discovery" are advised not only for the cure of the above mentioned diseases, but also for the cure of all catarrhal, bronchial and throat affections, accompanied with catarrhal discharges, hoarseness, sore throat, lingers, or hang-on-coughs, and all those wasting affections which, not promptly and properly treated are liable to terminate in consumption. Take Dr. Pierce's Discovery in time—and persevere in its use until you give it a fair trial and it is not likely to disappoint. Too much must not be expected of it. It will not perform miracles. It will not cure consumption in its advanced stages. No medicine can cure the effects that lead up to consumption, if taken in time.

thousands of other steamboats trafficking in those waters he went at once to Pittsburg, and two days later he had made a certain Captain Red his partner in the control of that vastly rich trade.

Captain Red was the largest owner of the Pittsburg mines and the pioneer in the business of carrying coal laden barges in acres and scores of acres down the river, pulling them with stern wheel steamers of large power, but still of a power insufficient for the accomplishment of the best results.

Captain Red's fleet was unable to control the trade. Captain Hallam pointed out to him the desirability of making it adequate and dominant.

Within two days the two had formed a partnership which included a number of New York bankers and investors as unknown and silent stockholders in the enterprise, and an abundant capital was provided. An order was given for the hurried building of the Ajax, the Hector, the Agamemnon, the Hercules and half a dozen other stern wheel steamers of power so great that they could carry the coal needed for their own furnaces, but must tow it in barges alongside.

These powerful steamers were to push vast fleets of coal laden barges down the river all the way from Pittsburg on the east to St. Louis on the west and New Orleans on the south.

They were to supply, through Hallam's agents, every town along the river and every steamboat that trafficked to any part of it. Hallam was master of it all.

Cairo was to be the central distributing point, and if anybody along the river owned a coal mine in Kentucky or Indiana or elsewhere he was quickly made to understand that his best means of marketing his product at a profit was to sell it through the Hallam yards at Cairo.

In the meanwhile, as one region after another in the south was conquered by the Union arms, Captain Hallam, whose long river service had brought him into acquaintance with pretty nearly everybody worth knowing south of Cairo, established agents of his own at every point where there was cotton to be bought at extravagant prices, payable in gold, even while the war was going on. These agents bought the cotton, the planters agreeing to deliver it upon the banks of the rivers and leave it there at Hallam's risk. Then Captain Hallam's steamboats, big and little, would push their way up the little rivers, take the cotton on board and carry it to Cairo.

Captain Will Hallam was quick to make up his mind with regard to a man. He was exceedingly accurate in his human judgments, too, and his confidence in them had been strengthened by experience in successfully acting upon them. As he phrased it, he "knew how to size a man up," and as the employer of multitudes of men in all parts of the country and in all sorts of capacities he had daily need of the skill he had acquired in that art. It was as much a part of his equipment for the conduct of his vast and varied enterprise as was his money capital itself.

When young Duncan presented himself in the private office after his night's vigil as a watchman Captain Hallam asked him to sit. Captain Hallam had been impressed by this newcomer, and he wanted to talk with him.

He broke at once into a catechism.

"Why did you do that little *treacherous* thing last night?"

He asked the question precisely as he might have done if he had resented the saving of his wealth of cotton.

"Oh, it was simple enough. The fire meant damage, and I was there. So, of course, I put it out."

"But why? The cotton wasn't yours, and you hadn't been hired to watch it."

"No, of course not. But when a gentle— I mean when any decent man sees property afire he doesn't ask whose it is before putting out the blaze."

"You're a Virginian, I should say, from your voice—late of the rebel army. What's your rank?"

"None now. I've put the war completely behind me. I'm beginning life again."

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Such was Guilford Duncan's mustering into the new service of work.

The Rise of Jimmie Johnson.



III.—OFFICE BOY TO BOOKKEEPER.

WANT AD. brought so many offers Jimmie took his pick—Pay so large it would have made his first employer sick. He was Jim the Penman now—bookkeeper; he was rising In the world of business—and 'twas due to ADVERTISING.

"Know anything about business?"

"No, but I shall learn."

"If you can, you mean?"

"Oh, I can! A capable man can learn anything if he really wants to."

"I don't know about that. But I'll gamble on the proposition that you can."

"Thank you."

"No thanks are needed. I wasn't complimenting. I was just expressing an opinion."

Scribbling a memorandum on a scrap of paper, Captain Hallam handed it to Duncan, saying:

"Give that to the cashier as you go out and get your wages. Then you'd better get your breakfast. I recommend you while you're poor to eat at the little booths along the levee, where they sell very good sandwiches and coffee cheap. After breakfast if you choose to come back here I'll try to find something for you to do. Oh, I forgot. You were up all night, so you'll want to sleep?"

There was an interrogative note in the last sentence. Captain Hallam was "sizing up" his man, and he closely scrutinized Duncan's face as the answer came.

"Oh, I'm used to night duty. I'm ready for a day's work if you can give me one. As for breakfast, I've had it."

"Then you had money?"

"A very little, but I didn't spend any of it. I sawed and split a load of wood for the keeper of a booth, and he gave me some bread and ham and coffee for my work."

"Oh, that's the way you managed it. Very well. Come back here in two hours anyhow."

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The fourth annual convention of the American Roadmakers' association is in session at Pittsburgh.

The National Coopers' association is in annual convention at St. Louis with members present representing eighteen states.

No Doubt of it.

Washington, March 13.—The state department has received a dispatch from Thomas C. Dawson, recently appointed United States minister to Colombia, who is now in Santo Domingo, announcing that the treaty between the United States and Santo Domingo has been laid before the Dominican congress and that he has no doubt

it will be ratified.

THE MARKETS

Current Quotations on Grain and Live stock at Leading Points.

Indianapolis Grain and Livestock.

Wheat—No. 2 red, 79½c. Corn—No. 2, 48c. Oats—No. 2, 47c. Mixed, 43½c. Hay—Clover, \$16.75c. Timothy, \$18.00@20.00; millet, \$17.00@17.00; timothy, \$18.00@20.00; millet, \$16.00@17.00. Cattle—\$2.50@6.00. Hogs—\$5.00@7.10. Sheep—\$2.50@5.25. Lambs—\$5.00@7.50. Receipts—4,000 hogs; 1,200 cattle; 300 sheep. About 250 head of horses for opening auction; fair attendance of buyers, with demand and prices steady, especially for the cheaper grades.

At Cincinnati.

Wheat—No. 2 red, 79½c. Corn—No. 2, 48c. Oats—No. 2, 47c. Cattle—Steers, \$4.50@6.85; stockers and feeders, \$2.75@5.25. Hogs—\$5.00@6.97½. Sheep—\$5.00@6.25. Lambs—\$6.00@7.85.

At Chicago.

Wheat—No. 2 red, 76¾c. Corn—No. 3, 43½c. Oats—No. 2, 42½c. Cattle—Steers, \$4.50@6.85; stockers and feeders, \$2.75@5.25. Hogs—\$5.00@6.97½. Sheep—\$5.00@6.25. Lambs—\$6.00@7.85.

At Toledo.

Wheat—No. 2 red, 76¾c. Corn—No. 3, 43½c. Oats—No. 2, 42½c. Cattle—Steers, \$4.50@6.85; stockers and feeders, \$2.75@5.25. Hogs—\$5.00@6.97½. Sheep—\$5.00@6.25. Lambs—\$6.00@7.85.

At East Buffalo.

Cattle—\$4.00@6.65. Hogs—\$5.50@7.45. Sheep—\$3.00@5.50. Lambs—\$6.00@7.85.

At Binghamton.

Wheat—No. 2 red, 76¾c. Corn—No. 3, 43½c. Oats—No. 2, 42½c. Cattle—Steers, \$4.50@6.85; stockers and feeders, \$2.75@5.25. Hogs—\$5.00@6.97½. Sheep—\$5.00@6.25. Lambs—\$6.00@7.85.

At New York.

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Stop Drinking!

Orrine Destroys all Desire for Drink How To "Swear Off."

One out of every seven drinking men swear off religiously at New Year's but how few of the good resolution are carried out. WHY NOT?

Because the continual drinking in the past has weakened the nerve cells of the human system until the craving for drink has fastened itself so strongly that temptation cannot be resisted.

Thousands of persons who really want to quit the use of whiskey and beer realize that they cannot do so without medical help, yet they cannot afford the time or perhaps the money to go to a sanatorium. Happily a cure for drunkenness has been discovered which is to be taken at home and costs less than the average drinker will spend in a day for drink.

Mothers, wives and sisters can give Orrine without the patient's knowledge. Orrine No. 1 is to be given secretly. It is perfectly tasteless, colorless and odorless. Orrine No. 2 is for those willing to take the remedy. Either form costs but \$1 per box. Mail orders filled on receipt of price.

Cure Effectuated or Money Refunded.

A registered guarantee in every package. Orrine is sold by the leading druggist in nearly every town or city if not obtainable write to the Orrine Co., Inc., 1907, 15th St., Washington, D. C.

Sold by W. F. Peter Drug Co.

MRS. W. T. BURNS



Mrs. W. T. Burns, of Memphis, Tenn., who is national press correspondent of the W. R. C. writes: "I caught a severe cold which it seemed impossible for me to get rid of. I became much run-down, lost my appetite and flesh, and felt nervous and irritable. Vinol was recommended, and certainly worked wonders for me; it increased my appetite, and cured my cough and nervousness. I consider Vinol a wonderful remedy."

Mr. Peter, of the W. F. Peter Drug Co., says: "Many people right here in Seymour are in just her condition—all run-down, hardly able to drag about, don't know what ails them. This is probably caused by a cold or cough which is hard to cure, over-work or too close confinement to business, and such people need Vinol."

Vinol is not a patent medicine, but contains the medicinal curative elements found in fresh cod's livers, with all the useless oil eliminated and tonic iron added.

We ask every run-down, nervous, debilitated, aged or weak person in Seymour and every person suffering from stubborn colds, hanging-on coughs, bronchitis or incipient consumption to try Vinol on our guarantee. It costs nothing if it fails to give satisfaction. W. F. Peter.

Note—While we are sole agents for Vinol in Seymour, it is now for sale at the leading drug store in nearly every town and city in the country. Look for the Vinol agency in your town.

EASTER COMING

And There Will Be No Place Like Seymour to Buy Easter Hats.

The hat trimmers of this city with a number of new recruits and head trimmers are working hard these days early and late that the customers of our millinery store may all be able to have beautiful hats with loads of artificial flowers to wear on Easter Sunday if the weather is ripe.

It is said by Frank I. Grubbs, deputy secretary of state, who directs the publication, that the acts of 1907 will contain about 280 new laws. Late Tuesday afternoon the Governor had signed 251 bills and he still has a number which he has not acted upon.

If the number of new acts reaches even 270 Indiana will be laboring under more legislation when the statutes are published than at any other time for ten years.

The Assembly of 1891, which was a most vigorous body, succeeded in making 266 new laws. And other legislatures since 1897 have fallen below that mark. The Assembly of 1897 made only 197 new laws; that of 1899, 238; that of 1901, 266; that of 1903, 248; that of 1905 only 170.

All these new laws of 1907 will go into effect when the acts are printed except those which have emergency clauses, and these are in effect now.

Mr. Grubbs believes that these will be printed by April 10. The book, it is said, will contain about 500 pages.

Patrolman Busy.

The Pennsylvania patrolman was in the city this morning from Columbus. He is making a determined effort, at the solicitation of the company, to break up the habit of loafing around the passenger stations along the line. Not only Seymour, but Crothersville, Austin, Scottsburg and Columbus have come in for their share of attention. The nuisance has been remedied very much here already but the intention is to still further better the conditions at this place.

It has been said that the very poor people do not read the ads. Perhaps it is more accurate to say that they do not remain very poor long after becoming ad. readers.

Try a sack of Becker Bros. Criterion flour. Every sack guaranteed. For ale by leading grocers. m18d

Hot chocolate and pure home made candies at the Sparta Confectionery, Greek candy store. m14d

Little globules of sunshine that drive the clouds away. DeWitt's Little Early Risers will scatter the gloom of sick-headache and biliousness. They do not gripe or sicken. Recommended and sold here by all druggists.

Adventist Meetings. Though last evening was quite rainy, yet a goodly number was present to hear upon the "Change of the Sabbath." Both Scriptures and Papal writings declare, it was not the Lord who made the change, but both do say the change was made by the Papacy in the fourth and fifth centuries.

Subject tonight, "The Seal of God and the Mark of the Beast." What is the seal, the beast and the mark? You are cordially invited.

WASHOUTS

Result From Heavy Rains In All Directions.

One of the heaviest rains that has fallen in this section of Indiana for a long time fell last night and the result was a number of washouts at different places along the various railways and much high water is yet expected. A telephone message from Columbus early in the morning stated that the river was rising three inches per hour. At nine o'clock this morning William M. Isaacs, the Honeytown Hummer was predicting a very high stage of the river here and some are afraid that it may even pass the stage reached some weeks ago.

The B. & O. S. W., suffered the worst of any of the railways entering this city. Some of the trouble occurred where the track was worked on at the time of the other flood, and had not yet settled down well. Washouts were reported from near Ft. Ritner, west and from the vicinities of Moores Hill and Cochran east. It seems that at some places the ground was so soft under the track that the weight of the trains caused the track to sink down for some distance.

Train No. 12 due here from the west at 4:53, came in about 6:30 and her engine was well bespattered with mud and water. Train No. 5 from the east, due here at 5:02 a. m., arrived about five hours late as a result of the washouts at Cochran and Moores Hill. The track was ready for trains to pass over some time before nine o'clock in the morning, or about six hours after the washouts were reported.

The Southern Indiana had a washout near Freetown but it seems not to have been serious enough to cause much delay of trains.

The Pennsylvania was more fortunate most of her passenger trains during the morning coming in about on time. However, the early morning train from the north was late about the same as she usually has been for some time and was marked up to arrive forty-five minutes behind time.

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LOST AND FOUND.

Lost between 9:30 p. m., yesterday and noon to-day, a bilious attack, with nausea and sick headache. This loss was occasioned by finding at W. F. Peter drug store a box of Dr. King's New Life Pills the guaranteed cure for biliousness, malaria and juncice, 25c.

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HOME! IS WHERE THE ARBUCKLES' COFFEE IS

Result From Heavy Rains In All Directions.

Most healthy, vigorous men and women in the United States are raised on good, old-fashioned Arbuckles' ARIOSA Coffee. Never mind what the others drink, you want to be well. Say things to the man who tries to switch you from Arbuckles' to coffee that pays him big profits at the expense of your stomach.

Complies with all requirements of the National Pure Food Law. Guarantee No. 2041, filed at Washington.

OWN YOUR HOME

Another Opportunity to Begin Saving Systematically

On Monday April 1st the Cooperative Building and Loan Association will start series M. This means another opportunity to pay for a home or to begin saving money systematically.

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If you are a good want advertiser you can manage a boarding house. If you are not the boarding house will manage you.

Dirt.—For sale. Shields & Shields. m16d

For sale—Work horse, three years old, and driving mare, ten years old, in foal. Inquire at 129 South Vine street. m16d

WANTED—Buyers for some Real Estate bargains. See E. C. Bollinger Land Agency. m16d

Have some buyers for residence property. You may have what these people want. W. F. MILLER, Seymour. m12d-tf

CRACKED EGGS.—14 cents per dozen at Berdon's barber shop or Hadley Poultry Co.'s plant. Leaking eggs 12 cents. m19d

FOR SALE—Eggs, Eggs, Eggs from fine Barred Plymouth Rocks, 35 cents per setting of 15. Bring your basket. MRS. HENRY BEYER, Seymour, Ind. m23-ws-wkly

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Leaps Gap Blind Folded.

Carl Meyer will leap a six foot gap at Hopewell's rink Thursday night blind folded. This is the first act of the kind ever attempted and will be the last leap-the-gap here this season. If you are a lover of thrilling performances don't fail to see this. Act will occur at 9 o'clock. Doors open at 6 o'clock. Admission 10cts Skates 15cts. m14d

We are just now receiving a lot of "A No. 1" timothy hay which we will sell at a slight reduction in amounts of a ton or more, if taken from the car. A. D. SHIELDS & CO.

Sweet Pea and Nasturtium Seed. New crop direct from the grower. Up-to-date mixed varieties, also the finest lawn grass seed, will grow anywhere, at Cox's Pharmacy or the Greenhouse Phone 58. f20mws-tf

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Try our delicious hot chocolate, hot tomato bouillon and hot beef tea. The Sparta Confectionary. m14d

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PERSONAL.

D. M. Lett, of Crothersville, was here this morning.

Alex Hattabaugh, of Valla, was in this city this morning.

J. E. Thompson, of Brownsburg, was in this city over night.

Linza Allen, of Grammer, was in this city Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Leroy Miller who has been quite sick is getting better.

W. R. Gray, of Madison, was in the city Tuesday afternoon.

Theodore Davis, of Maumee, was in this city Tuesday morning.

A. L. Jenniogs, who has had the grip is able to be out again.

John Reyman, of Salem, was in the city this morning on business.

G. H. Anderson has returned from a trip to his farm in Decatur County.

Mr. Lough, the dealer in fine horses went west again this morning on the B. & O.

George Steinkamp made a business trip west this morning on the B. & O.-S.W.

J. Samuel Gossett made a business trip out over the B. & O.-S.W. this morning.

H. D. Hockett, of Salem, was in the city Tuesday evening and remained here over night.

Frank Thompson, of Seipio, was in this city Tuesday evening and remained here over night.

Senator Carl Wood and Representative Honan have returned home from their legislature duties.

Mrs. H. J. Siebenburgen, of East Third street, who has been very sick with the grip is recovering.

Dr. A. May came up this morning to attend the regular weekly meeting of the board of pension examiners.

Miss Mary Schwein returned to her home at Brownstown this morning, after a few days visit here with friends.

Mrs. Charles Vogel, who has been visiting relatives in this city for some time, was a passenger to Indianapolis this morning.

Austin Thompson, the book agent from Bloomington, was in this city this morning and went north on the Pennsylvania line.

George B. Burkley, advanced agent for the Great Lafayette Show Company, was in this city Tuesday evening and remained here over night.

Prosecutor Oren O. Swails and Attorney Angus N. Munden drove up from Brownstown Tuesday afternoon where they had been attending circuit court.

Mrs. Nettie Edward has returned to her home at Mettix Run, Penn., after spending several months with her mother, Mrs. L. J. Stewart, of S. Hill street.

Zach M. Scifres, of Salem, representative of Clark, Floyd and Washington Counties, passed through here south on the Pennsylvania line this morning at 10:20, en route home from a trip to Indianapolis.

Mr. E. Greely, of Louisville, the right of way man for the Indianapolis and Louisville interurban line, was in this city a short time this morning and went south on the Pennsylvania line in Seymour.

Colonel Russell B. Harrison and Attorney M. L. Clawson, of Indianapolis, are here today on legal business. They brought a stenographer, Miss Lafayette, with them to assist them with work they did while here.

Miss Essie Cochrane came down from Indianapolis Tuesday evening on a visit of several weeks with her cousin, Mrs. Pearl Pease, of E. Brown street. She was accompanied here by her friend, Gilbert Porter, who spent the evening here and returned to Indianapolis on the evening train.

Will Become a Bank.

The trust company at Columbus has announced that if the attorney general's interpretation of the law, holding that a trust company has no right under the law to do a general banking business, is correct, then it will become a bank. Under this ruling it is likely that many trust companies in Indiana will be charged to banks.

Dr. Dragoo's optical office open Saturday, Sunday, Monday. Call soon.

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About Ready For Cable.

The track on the Indianapolis and Louisville Interurban line has all been laid from Sellersburg to a point some distance north of Austin, except across one bridge which has not yet been completed. The construction company has three locomotives of its own which are either in use or ready to be used in pushing the construction work between Sellersburg and Scottsburg. One or two of the locomotives are being used in hauling ballast on the south end of the line and it is said that one is at Scottsburg ready to be utilized in stretching the cable from that point south. It is thought by some that the intention of the company is to begin the work of putting up the cable in the very near future so that they will be ready to put the south end of the line in operation not later than seven weeks from the present time.

Salvation Army Meetings.

At 7:30 this evening a detachment of the Salvation Army begin a meeting of ten days in Armory Hall. Adjutant Winterbottom, of Indianapolis, will be in charge of the meetings and will be assisted by three ladies, namely, Capt. Prosser, of Indianapolis, Lieutenant Hartman, of Arkansas, and Cadet Temple, of Monticello. Mrs. Winterbottom will be here Saturday, Sunday and Monday. She was trained in England under Miss Eva Booth daughter of General Booth of Salvation Army fame. These are all trained and consecrated workers. At the close of the meetings it is the purpose to have Major Galley, of Indianapolis, here for a lecture. The Salvation Army for years has been doing a great work. The meetings in Armory Hall will be open to the public and a cordial invitation is extended to all.

Fireman Wilson Better.

The condition of Fireman Harvey Wilson, who was injured in the head-end collision at Georgia the latter part of last week has not made any very decided change, perhaps, either for the better or the worse. At first he was allowed to talk to a good many about the accident and it was feared that this was interfering with his rest during sleep as well as during his waking hours.

The result has been that very few people are now allowed to enter his room. It is said that his fever was not so high Monday night as it had been. When a physician called Tuesday morning at three o'clock his temperature was found to be 101. A nurse has been employed and he is being carefully looked after. It will require sometime yet to determine the extent of his injuries.

Health in the Canal Zone.

The high wages paid makes it mighty temptation to our young artisans to join the forces of skilled workmen needed to construct the Panama Canal. Many are restrained by the fear of fevers and malaria. It is the knowing ones those who have used Electric Bitters who go there without this fear well knowing they are safe from malarious influence with Electric Bitters on hand. Cures blood poison too biliousness, weakness and all stomach liver and kidney troubles. Guaranteed by W. F. Peter's drug store 50c.

Grading On Chestnut.

The continuous wet weather is still further hindering the grading work on the interurban lines and it is hardly probable now that much, if any more grading will be done on either end of the line before the last week in March. Nothing but several days of continuous sunshine will cause the work to be taken up again sooner. It is understood that some of the next grading work to be done on the Louisville end of the line will be on Chestnut street in Seymour.

No Assets.

The bankruptcy case of C. J. Leidorf came up before Referee Batchelor at Columbus Monday and it was found that there was no need to appoint a trustee as there are no assets on which the creditors can realize. All the visible property is \$200 worth of household goods and Leidorf will hold those under his right of exemption. His creditors in Seymour will get nothing.

Missionary Meeting.

The Womans Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church will meet at the home of Mrs. J. M. Shields Thursday March 14th at 2 o'clock p.m. It is the annual election of officers. Every member is requested to be present.

Circuit Court.

The Jackson Circuit Court was adjourned at Brownstown Tuesday afternoon till Thursday. This adjournment was made necessary because Judge John M. Lewis, who was attorney in a case that was up for hearing, had to attend court at Columbus.

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Bewitching new suits in the most beautiful of spring materials, smart Coats and Jackets, full of grace and style. Dressy Skirts with plaitings and trimmings in the latest effects. What woman can resist the charms of these garments? What woman can withstand the impelling desire to purchase when we ask such moderate prices?

We will not try to describe the various garments we offer, but will only give a touch on the range of prices.

Ladies' Covert Jackets in all the leading styles 5.00, 6.98, 7.50 up to 10.00	3.98
Ladies' and Misses' Novelty Coats in checks, stripes and plaids 5.00, 6.98, 7.50	3.98
Jap Silk Waists	1.49, 1.98, 2.49

Ladies' Eton Suits in the new manish effects 15.00, 18.00, 20.00 and up 12.50

Stylish Eton Suits in Chiffon, Panama, in the new shades as well as the fancy Suiting 20.00, 25.00 and up 15.00

Lingerie Waists 98c, 1.49, 1.98 and up

GOLD MINE DEPARTMENT STORE.

Baptist Church.

Rev. B. H. Truman, of Franklin, will fill the pulpit next Sunday morning and evening. He is a young man and an effective speaker.

Improvements.

Carpenters began the work of remodeling the New Lynn sample rooms fronting on Second street Monday afternoon. The petitions and flooring were all torn away and a new floor was laid today. The remodeling will be pushed to completion in a very few days. The change will be an improvement and will add to the appearance of this already popular hostelry.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney Co., Toledo Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio
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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation,

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Is the real harbinger of spring. Wait until you hear its merry warble before you declare springtime is here. Meanwhile, you will find delight in using Sylvan Soap in your toilet. It is fragrant as flowers, and possesses all qualities to make it good. Lorna, Thelma, Moss Rose, Wild Grape, Wood Violet and Flower Girl are some of our popular perfumes. Inspect them any day.

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There is a beauty and attractiveness in health which is far greater than mere regularity of feature.

A sickly, irritable, and complaining woman always carries a cloud of depression with her; she is not only unhappy herself but is a damper to all joy and happiness when with her family and friends.

It is the bright, healthy, vivacious woman who always charms and carries sunshine wherever she goes.

If a woman finds that her energies are flagging and that everything tires her; if her feminine system fails to perform its allotted duties there is nervousness, sleeplessness, faintness, backache, headache, bearing down pains, and irregularities, causing constant misery and melancholia, she should remember that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound made from native roots and herbs will dispel all these troubles. By correcting the cause of the trouble it cures where other treatment may have failed.

Miss Elizabeth Wynn, of No. 205 1/2 Avenue, New York City, writes:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—
For months I suffered with dreadful headaches, pain in the back and severe hemorrhages. I was weak and out of sorts all the time. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound helped me when all other medicine had failed. It seemed to be just what I needed and quickly restored my health.

Mrs. Pinkham:

"For months I was ill with an internal trouble. I suffered terrible agony, was nervous, irritable, and sick all the time. I took different medicines without benefit. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was recommended and within six months I was completely restored to health and I want to recommend it to every suffering woman."

Women who are troubled with painful or irregular functions, backache, bloating (or flatulence), displacements, inflammation or ulceration, that bearing-down feeling, dizziness, indigestion, or nervous prostration may be restored to perfect health and strength by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Mrs. Pinkham's Inviation to Women.

Women suffering from any form of female weakness are invited to promptly communicate with Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass. From the symptoms given, the trouble may be located and the quickest and surest way of recovery advised. Out of her vast volume of experience in treating female ills Mrs. Pinkham probably has the very knowledge that will help your case. Her advice is free and always helpful.

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Residents of Seymour Cannot Doubt What Has Been Twice Proved.

In gratitude for complete relief from aches and pains of bad backs—from distressing kidney ills—thousands have publicly recommended Doan's Kidney Pills. Residents of Seymour, who so testified years ago, now say their cures were permanent. This testimony doubly proves the worth of Doan's Kidney Pills to Seymour kidney sufferers.

Mrs. Jessie Buckels, of 20 Jefferson Ave., Seymour Ind., says: "I was in a very bad condition when I started using Doan's Kidney Pills. I had a dull aching across my loins which caused great pain if I attempted to stoop or lift anything. The kidney secretions were much disordered and caused me a great deal of embarrassment. I also suffered from nervousness and dizzy spells." (Statement given in 1899).

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Interesting Rumor in Connection With Central American War.

New Orleans, March 13.—Reports of a bold plan of Nicaragua to seize the steamer Harry T. Inge and equip at sea a small army which is now said to be waiting for the steamer in two vessels off the Honduran coast, are current in local offices of the Central American consuls. These reports, which lack official confirmation, are that the Nicaraguan gunboat Omatipe is conveying two vessels loaded with men in the hope of capturing the Inge, which left here last week bound for Honduras with arms and ammunition. It is believed that the man-of-war and two transports are the three fighting vessels referred to in a recent dispatch as lying off the Honduran port of Ceiba and threatening to attack that place.

You should be very careful of your bowels when you have a cold. Nearly all other cough syrups are constipating. Especially those containing opiates. Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup moves the bowels—no opiates. Conforms to National Pure Food and Drug Law. Bears the endorsement of mothers everywhere. Children like it's pleasant taste. Sold here by all drug gists.

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Round-trip tourist tickets on sale daily to all tourist points three to nine months limit; also one-way second class colonists tickets on sale first and third Tuesdays of each month to various points in South, Southeast, West Southwest, Northwest and Mexico. For further particulars call us up. Phone 55 or write me.

Trains leave Indianapolis at 6:10 a. m. until 8:10 p. m.; also at 10:10 p. m. and 11:15 p. m.

The first train arrives at Columbus from Greenwood and way points at 7:10 a. m. and from Indianapolis and way points every hour from 8:10 a. m. to 10:10 p. m.; also at 11:50 p. m. and 2:56 p. m.

Passengers for Indianapolis leaving Seymour at 8:06 and 9:50 a. m., 3:35 and 5:18 p. m., can reach Indianapolis by changing cars at Columbus at 8:40, 10:40 a. m., 4:40 and 6:40 p. m.

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BIG SHOW WILL OPEN MARCH 13

Creatore's Band With Low Rates and National League Baseball Teams Will Make Louisville Kentucky's Mecca For Two Weeks, Beginning March 13 and Ending March 30.

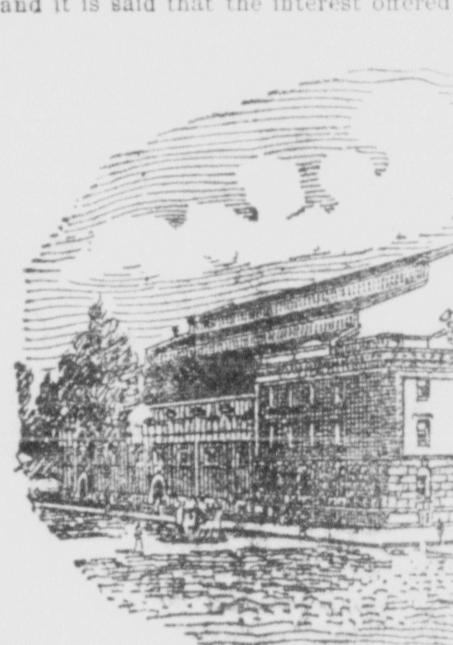
Many persons are now counting the days which must elapse before the opening of the Greater Louisville Exposition, March 13. The manufacturers and other business men of Louisville have been steadily engaged on the big enterprise since November 21, last, and they now see the fruition of their hopes in the exhibits which are being daily installed in the big Exposition Building.

The band certainly deserves the highest praise it has received in America. The musical qualities of the tone and style are great, and although Signor Creatore walks about the platform and conducts by means of gestures which might be called sensational, there is no "trickery" about his interpretation of the music. The instruments have that clear, rather shrill tone which the Italians prefer. The cornet, the principal clarinet, the trombone, for instance, are all remarkable as virtuosos. The ensemble is as fine as possible, and the clean phrasing, especially in forte passages, goes beyond anything we have heard from other bands. From every point of view this is a finer band than that of Sousa, and there is much in its work which should attract musicians as well as the uncritical."

When it is considered that the work of this great music master may be observed without extra charge, and the admission price is only twenty-five cents, the fact will be readily recognized that Louisville is putting forth every effort possible to give immense value for the money which will be received at the exposition gate.

For those who prefer music and laughter in the evening and outdoor entertainments during the morning and afternoon, there is the excellent choice of visiting Louisville's outdoor attractions in the morning and seeing her excellent baseball team in action in the afternoon. From March 25 to 29 inclusive, there will be games of baseball between the Louisville team and some of the strongest teams in the National and American leagues.

Low railroad rates, Greater Louisville Exposition, Creatore, baseball—what more could be needed to induce one to take a pleasant little trip to the metropolis of the state, there to receive the welcome of her people and it is said that the interest offered



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by the Greater Louisville Exposition justifies the rate to the last degree.

Not alone do the railroads offer these excellent inducements, but all steamboat lines making Louisville have offered similar inducements. The Louisville & Evansville Packet Company and the Lee Line offer a rate of one and one-third fare for the round trip, including meals and berth, while the Louisville & Cincinnati Packet Company offer one fare for the round trip, exclusive of meals and berth. March 13 to 30.

Thus all Kentuckians may travel cheaply and comfortably to Louisville during the exposition period, with sufficient stopover privilege to allow them to enjoy the exposition in every detail and transact such business as they may have in Kentucky's metropolis before expiration of their tickets.

Such zeal is being shown by the exhibitors in the matter of getting installed before the evening of March 16 that the Board of Directors of the Greater Louisville Exposition have announced that they are now in position to accurately gauge the appearance of the great hall when President Roosevelt touches the button and the wheels of the exposition are finally set in motion. Decorated with rainbow tints, natural and artificial foliage and flowers, the exposition hall is, in truth, a dream of beauty. Even teeming with busy activities and resounding with the blows of many hammers and the grating of saws as it is at present, it is said by all who know that the exposition far surpasses any previous efforts made by Louisville to take her important place among the great cities of the nation.

Kentucky and all Kentuckians may be proud of Louisville, for she

Short Notes Marking Progress and Interest of the Exposition.

Louisville, it is said, is greatly tickled over the showing made in the art exhibit of the Greater Louisville Exposition. There are many artists of merit in Louisville, both amateur and professional, yet both classes are more or less inclined to hide their light under bushel, and it is only by great persuasion, it is said, that many of them are made willing to exhibit their works in the exposition. The Veterans' Room in the Exposition Building is an ideal place for an art exhibit.

Sig. Giuseppe Creatore has announced that in the making of his programmes for the Greater Louisville Exposition he has arranged for more encores than at any city during the past season. Sig. Creatore knows that his great affection for Kentucky and Kentuckians is warmly reciprocated.

Many "oldest inhabitants" have recalled former expositions given in Louisville, and the Greater Louisville Exposition does not suffer any by comparison with them.

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Visitors to the exposition will be greeted by strains of sweetest music, produced by the famous band of the great Creator, who will give two performances daily throughout the fortnight of the exposition, March 18 to 30.

This same Creator is a man of tremendous personality, rich in everything which goes to make up a really great musician. A Neopolitan by birth, but an American by naturalization, he has played before the crowned heads of Europe as well as before those uncrowned kings—the musical critics of the New York press. No where has he failed to receive the highest praise, and he has repeatedly declared that the musical taste of the people of Kentucky is, as an average, the most accurate in recognizing true musical worth that he has ever seen. That the great master has not been overestimated in Louisville and in the rest of the United States is attested by the following paragraph from the London Daily Tribune:

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